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Sen. Allen announces grant awarded to Kingsley

LANSING – State Sen. Jason Allen, R-Traverse City, announced Friday that Kingsley will receive a \$972,400 Community Development Block Grant to construct a water storage tank.

The grant will allow Kingsley to construct a 200,000 gallon tank and lay 6,000 feet of pipe. Due to recent population increases, the current tank is at capacity. The village of Kingsley must match 20 percent of the grant, or \$243,100.

"I'm happy to see this project moving forward," Allen said. "This is a great opportunity for the village of Kingsley. Increasing the water capacity will improve their water pressure and allow for better fire protection."

Grants totaling \$8.3 million were awarded to 20 communities across the state to help communities finance public infrastructure projects to bring more jobs and investment.

"This grant will allow Kingsley to improve the quality of life for families in the community and create opportunities for continued growth," Allen said.

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